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tary Review at Longchamps.

Utterances of Spectators.

PARIS. July 14.-Magnificent weather today favored the national fete day. The public and many private buildings were decorated with flags.

MM. Deroulede and Marcel-Habert and several hundred members of the Patriotic League marched to the Place de la Concorde and deposited a wreath at the foot of the Strasbourg monument amid cries of "Vive l'armee," and "Vive Deroulede." M. Deroulde, in turn, shouted: "Vive la republique Francaise," "Vive la Nation Francaise," "Vive l'Alsace-Lorraine." He then requested the leaguers to disperse. Some of them attempted to continue the demonstration, but the police scattered them.

Ditpatches from various garrisons, in-cluding Rennes, report that the reviews were carried out without incident. The troops were acclaimed with the usual shouts of "Vive l'armee," "Vive ia repub-

Crowds at Military Review.

Enormous crowds wended their way toward Longchamps from early morning to witness the military review. Stringent precautions were taken for the preservation of order. The cabinet ministers began to arrive at 3 o'clock. The president of the chamber of deputies, M. Deschanel, and the officials of the house were welcomed with shouts of "Vive la republique" and "Vive l'armee," but there were isolated cries of a seditious character, which led to some arrests, near the carre-four des cascades. President Loubet left the Elysee Palace

at 2:30 p.m. in a carriage drawn by four horses. He was accompanied by the min-ister of war, General the Marquis de Galli-fet and General Bailloud. In a second car-riage were the premier, M. Waldeck-Rousseau, and others.

seau, and others.

Along the entire route the president was greeted with cries of "Vive Loubet" and "Vive la Republique." When he arrived at Longchamps the shouts were redoubled. After receiving the congratulations of the officials the president turned toward the crowds and bowed repeatedly. Gen. Kermartin handed over the command of the troops to Gen. Brugere, the military governor of Paris, and the review began forthernor of Paris, and the review began forth-

the march past occurred.

Flags Dipped to President Loubet. time he was greeted with cheering for the

Suddenly a roar of applause ascended from the distant masses of spectators and increased in volume as Major Marchand, the African explorer, a principal figure on the French side in the Fashoda incident, mounted on a superb black charger and surrounded by the Soudanese soldiers who had accompanied him across the African continent, appeared in view, and, amidst increasing excitement, defiled in front of the president. The air rang with deafen-ing cries of "Vive Marchand" and "Vive l'armee," and hats and handkerchiefs were thrown upwards on all sides. As Presiden Loubet arose the cheers were redoubled and continued until the little band of Soudanese disappeared in the distance. The review was concluded at 4:20 p.m. President Loubet re-entered the Elysee Pal-ace at 4:50 p.m. greeted with loud applause.

CONDITIONS MUCH BETTER.

Capt. Ambrose Higgins' Views of Affairs in Cuba.

Capt. Ambrose Higgins of the signal corps has recently returned from Havana and was at the War Department today. He says that the conditions in Cuba are rapidly changing for the better. Having visited many of the cities and towns during the last month, his opportunities for observation were of the best. He says a most remarkable improvement has taken place in the sanitary conditions of the cities, which are now clean and healthy. This feature is appreciated both by the Spaniards and Cubans. Capt. Higgins says the island is pacified, the revolutionary spirit has disappear-ed and there is apparent satisfaction with the results of the war. Such disturbances as are reported are not political, but sim-ply a breaking of the peace, which might There was a little flurry about the payment of the troops, but af more than 1 per cent of the Cubans will re-

AQUEDUCT BRIDGE REPAIRS. Preparations Being Made to Begin

Operations. According to the last report of Colone Allen, corps of engineers, the repair of pier 4 of the Aqueduct bridge will begin during the present month. The Central Contracting Company of New York, which has the contract for reconstructing the defective pler, is making preparations to begin operations. A representative of the company says, in explanation of the apparent delay

a few days. The contract calls for the pletien of the work by November 30. DREDGING THE RIVER.

The Part Dug Out in the Spring Fill-

that they are engaged upon work in Ros

ton which requires the use of their plant.

They are about to ship the plant to Wash-

ington, and it is expected to arrive here in a few days. The contract calls for the com-

ing Up Again. Dredging operations in the Virginia channel of the Potomac, opposite Washington, were continued by A. M. Clegg, the contractor, during the past month. Colonel Allen, who has made a report to the chief of engineers on the subject, says that 240 hours' time was lost during that period in making repairs to the machinery of the dredge. The amount of material dregded and deposited on the reclaimed area during June was 27,918 cubic yards, an average of about 97 cubic yards per engine hour. Colonel Allen says that an examination of

the channel shows that the portion dredged by Mr. Clegg last spring has shoaled to about 19 feet, while the part of the bar which he has not yet dredged has shoaled from about 17 feet to about 15 feet.

Departure of Secretary Alger. Shortly after leaving the cabinet meeting today Secretary Alger took a train for Long Branch, N. J., where he and Mrs. Alger will remain over Sunday as the guests of Vice President and Mrs. Hobart. Mrs. Alger, who has been visiting friends in Philadelphia, joined the Secretary in that

FETE DAY IN FRANCE THREE - CENT FARES

Intense Enthusiasm Aroused by Mili- New System Goes Into Effect in Detroit Today.

MAJ. MARCHAND CENTER OF INTEREST | MAYOR JONES APPLAUDS PINGREE

Some Arrests Caused by Seditious Governor's Next Move Will Be for City Ownership.

CHEERS FOR LOUBET EXTRA SESSION PROBABLE

DETROIT, Mich., July 14.-Three-cent fares are announced today on the fronts of Detroit street cars in the places where amusement advertising signs are usually carried. This sudden voluntary reduction is the result of a decision of Governor Pingree and Tom L. Johnson to give the people an object lesson upon what they may look forward to if the present plans of the sale of all the Detroit railways to the Detroit Municipal Railway Company, in behalf of the city, win out. The three-cent tickets sold today at five for 15 cents are so worded that their use for full payment of their fares can be withdrawn at any

City in a Furor.

situation. All the rewspapers and nearly all the more prominent citizens are opposing the Pingree plan, and it is now claimed that the majority of citizens oppose it, on the ground that three-cent fares and quasi-municipal ownership will fall to pay the expenses and the \$17,000,000 proposed to be paid for the roads; and that they will, if purchased, revert to the present owners. In the latter event, the roads would be operated under the security ordinance aloperated under the security ordinance, already passed by the council, which per mits operation of all the roads at six-for-a quarter fares for from thirty to forty-eight

Gov. Pingree claims that the roads will certainly pay off their purchase price un-der 3-cent fares. Gov. Pingree is having circulars distributed on the streets giving

his side of the controversy.

A special meeting of the city council is called for this afternoon, at which a "working" ordinance is expected to be passed, ing ordinance is expected to be passed, granting the municipal company rights as to operation of the roads. This ordinance reserves to the city the right at any time to fix the rates of fare, said rate meanwhile to be 3 cents with universal transfers. Mayor Maybury will veto both ordinances, and the question is whether the Pingree people can secure passage of both over the vetoes.

From a source close to Gov. Pingree comes the information that as soon as council finally adopts the municipal railway or-Gen. Brugere galloped along the front of the line, and the distribution of decorations followed. Then the general took up a posi-tion in front of the presidential stand, and the march hear recorrect. dinance the governor will bend his enerment to the people permitting the city of Detroit to go into the municipal ownership of street railways. The governor hopes to stand its flag was dipped, and the president seem time before the November elections and the trose and saluted the colors. Each time he was greated with charges and seem to the plan will be formally made within a few days.

The governor has issued a proclamation to the people, calling attention to the efforts of the "enemies of the people" to defeat the 3-cent fares, for which he has been struggling for ten years, and appeal

Three-cent tickets will be sold on all lines,

TOLEDO, Ohio, July 14.-The following messages were exchanged between Governor Pingree and Mayor Jones concerning the Detroit 3-cent street car fare, which goes into effect today:

"Three-cent street railway fares and universal transfers go into effect in Detroit Friday and will be continued indefinitely

GOV. LOWNDES AT OCEAN CITY.

Pharmaceutical Association.

OCEAN CITY, Md., July 14.-Gov. Lewindes left in his private car for Annap olis yesterday afternoon after a visit to the Maryland Pharmaceutical Association which is in convention at the Plimbimmor Hotel. In an informal address he expressed his interest in the two great organizations here assembled, having for their respective aims the betterment of the intellectual and physical conditions of the state. The closing day of the educators' conven

tion brought out an excursion of teachers from the adjacent counties. After instruc-tive papers by Miss Richmond of the state ormal, Miss Anna Miller of Hagerstown Miss Agnes McKim of Baltimore and Prof. Albert C. Cook of Reistertown, the report of the electoral committee was enthusiastically received, and the three-day session adjourned. The officers chosen for the ensuing year are: President, L. L. Beatty, Centerville, Md.; first vice president, Z. C. Ebaugh; second vice president, Wm. Smith of Fairlee; treasurer, J. E. W. Canas; secretary, Alber, F. Wilkerson; recording Miss Hattle W. Bablitz of Executive committee, Edwin Z. Heblen, J. F. Edwards, Dr. Wm. D. Straughan Geo. Steele, F. Eugene Whorthen. The resolutions were submitted by Prof. E. B. Prettyman.

Samuel J. Waggaman, jr., of Washington, D. C., is among the later arrivals.

WILL MEET AT MANASSAS.

Gov. Tyler and Senator Martin to Be at Horse Show.

Special Dispatch to The Evening Star. RICHMOND, Va., July 14.-An incident of the senatorial campaign that has created quite a flutter of interest is the announcement that Senator Thomas S. Martin and Gov. Tyler, his opponent, will both attend the horse show at Manassas, July 19 and 20 Both were invited and each accepted without knowing the other would be there. They are not scheduled for speeches, but both men are ready to talk, and what was only an incident may prove an important epoch in the senatorial fight and Manassas may become the battle ground for the opening

Engineers Sail for Manila. A telegram was received at the War De partment this morning saying that Company B, Battalion of Engineers, sailed from San Francisco for Manila yesterday on the transport City of Para

of the campaign.

Must Change the Law.

Mr. Mitchell, the assistant controller of the treasury, has decided that under existing law the keeper and crew of a life-saving station cannot be employed at the Paris exposition in 1900 in connection with the United States exhibit. It is probable that a bill will be introduced at the next session of Congress removing this inhibition.



The city is in a furor over the present

City Ownership Next.

ing to them to stand by him in the great

with universal transfers. Mayor Jones' Congratulations

Hon. S. M. Jones, Toledo:

unless stopped by the enemies of the peop "H. S. PINGREE." "Hon. H. S. Pingree, Detroit:

"Hon. H. S. Pingree, Detroit:
"Accept my hearty congratulations on the triumph of public ownership in Detroit. The day of the people is dawning. It is a victory of reason over force and a great step toward the realization of real liberty. The people will own themselves,
"S. M. JONES,"

Attends Meeting of the Maryland

Special Dispatch to The Evening Star.

Olympia such

ADDITIONAL CASUALTIES. Gen. Otis Reports List of Those Re-

> Philippines: July 11.

Movements of Naval Vessels The North Atlantic squadron will leave Portland, Me., Sunday for Newport, arriving at the latter place on the 21st instant. The intervening time will be spent in drills

at sea.

The Essex, with naval apprentices aboard, has sailed from Newport for Plymouth.

The Michigan has arrived at Detroit.

The Wilmington has sailed from Santa Catharina for Montevideo.

NO MEETING WILL BE HELD PLANNED A BIG MASSACRE EX-GOVERNOR OATES

of a successor to Justice Cox. A paper was circulated during the evening and this morning and about forty signatures had critical. been secured, when the promoters of the plan decided to cease operations in that di-

rection. Attention was called to the fact that differences of opinion might be brought to light during the discussions incidental to such a meeting as that contemplated, and more harm than good be done to the prospects of the candidates for the judgeship in whose interests the meeting was called. Therefore the general impression this afternoon is that no such meeting will be held. Other plans are under consideration for adding to the chances of the various candidates for securing the appointment.

Mr. Carusi Still a Candidate. It was stated about the city hall this afternoon that Mr. Eugene Carusi has decided to continue in the race for several days longer at least, notwithstanding th President's intimation that he is desirous of appointing a younger man. The declarat tion is further made that additional influence is to be brought to bear on the Presi-dent in favor of the selection of Mr.

Carusi. ADVICES FROM DEWEY.

The Olympia in Voluntary Quarantine at Port Said. Secretary Long received a brief cable

nessage from Admiral Dewey at Port Said this morning, as follows:

"PORT SAID, July 14, 1899. Secretary of the Navy, Washington, D. C. "Olympia in voluntary quarantine. As soon as coaled, proceed Trieste for pratique and recuperation officers and men. "DEWEY." (Signed)

Inasmuch as he is silent on the subject, t is assumed that no change has occurred in the health of Admiral Dewey and his men since their departure from Hong Kong, when all were reported well. It is said at the Navy Department that the admiral's reference to "pratique" means simply that he is going to Trieste to get a clean bill of health that will enable him to continue his voyage through the Mediterra-nean without delays from the health authorities at the various points.

All the Mediterranean ports have estab-

ished severe quarantine against all ships coming from the east on account of the prevalence of the plague. They require, uniformly, that any such ship shall remain without communication with the shore for a specified period of time-about a fort-night in the case of plague ships. At the expiration of that time, provided no disease has appeared, the vessel is said to have obtained "pratique," or liberty to commu-nicate with any port. In the case of the time as Admiral Dewey spends at Port Said in voluntary quaran-tine will reduce by just so much the length

of his quarantine at Trieste.

cently Wounded. General Otis at Manila informed the War

Department today of the following additional casualties among the troops in the Wounded-Seventeenth Infantry, at San

Fernando, June-13, K, Corporal Christian Jenson, arm, slight; July 4, E, George W. King, thigh, severe; July 11, First Lieutenant Ira L. Reeves, cheek, hand and feet, moderate. Fourth Cavalry: July 5, C, Frank Beuchard, hand, slight, at Pillla; Edward Reeves, foot moderate: G Amon Hall, abdomen, severe, near Santa Cruz.

Letter.

By Careful Gardening Aguinaldo's "Delicate Flower of the East" May Develop Into a Genuine Rag Weed.

The Local Attorneys as Much at Sea as Filipino Plot Discovered by Capture of a He Talks About the Situation in the State Ever Over the Judgeship.

Eugene Carusi is Still in the

Race for the Vacancy.

About Declaring Wheeler's

Sent Vacant.

Steps were taken late yesterday afternoon by a number of interested parties to have a call issued for a meeting of local attorneys

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by a number of interested parties to have a of the Oregon regiment, while very guarded to take action in regard to the appointment dition of the American troops at Manila at the outbreak of hostilities between the United States and the Filipinos was very

The capture of a letter sent from inside our lines in Manila to an emissary of Aguiraldo is probably all that saved our army from a terrible disaster and possible

annihilation. The letter was taken to General Otis, who found in it the plans of a plot to open the gates of Manila, sack the city, murder the guards and allow the insurgent army to pour into the American camps and surprise the men. The United States troops were under arms all night to meet the expected attempt, but the enemy had the expected attempts of the letter, and the only part of the plot that was carried out was the burning of a portion of the burning of a portion of the city of Manila.

SUCCEEDS MR. TULLOCH.

Howard A. Cutler of Boston Appoint

ed Cashier of the Post Office. Howard Atherton Cutter of Boston, Mass. was today appointed eashier of the Washington city post office by Postmaster Merritt, to succeed Seymour J. Tulloch. The position was tendered to two Washington

men, but both declined it. Mr. Cutler is a young business man of the hub and a personal friend of Postmaster Merritt. He is a graduate of Harvard, and brings to the new office, it is said, marked ability as an accountant. He will assume office Tuesday next.

AT THE WHITE HOUSE.

Postal Affairs in Cuba Discussed by the Postmaster General.

Postmaster General Smith took up most of the time of the cabinet session today discussing postal affairs in Cuba. Mr. Smith has decided to withdraw as many American appointees of the Cuban postal system as possible and substitute natives. This is expected to economize in expenditures and to gradually place that department of the Cuban government fully into the hands of the natives.

Other matters of no importance were discussed, and the cabinet adjourned after a short session.

Among the army appointments recom mended to the President by Senator Foraker of Ohio are A. E. Deitch, son of Col. Phil A. Deltch, chief of police of Cincinnati, and Capt. Samuel W. Kennedy. Mr. Deitch was a non-commissioned officer in the 10th Ohio Regiment and Capt. Kennedy was an officer in the same regiment.

Among the callers at the White House this morning was a delegation of Indianians, who have come on here to look after army appointments for their state. The delega-tion is composed of Representatives-elect James E. Watson and Cromer, Charles B. Hernly, republican state chairman; C. F. Jones, M. K. Moffett and James P. Good-White House they went to the War Department

THE LOWER POTOMAC. Arranging to Improve the River Be-

low the City. Colonel Allen, the engineer officer in charge of the Potomac river improvements has made preliminary arrangements for the improvement of the Potomac river below the city of Washington, under the allotment of \$26,000 from the general appropriation of \$100,000 for improvements at and below this city. The approved project provides for dredging channels so as to secure depths of twenty-four feet and a width of 200 feet through the bars at Mattawoman shoal, Maryland Point shoal, Smith Point shoals and Kettle Bottom shoals, the work to be done under a continuing contract at a cost not to exceed

An examination of these bars is now in progress, and will probably be concluded this month. Specifications for dredging will be ready by the time the exami-

Gossip Today Indicates That Mr. Officers of 2d Oregon Tell of a Dis- Agriculturists Not Prosperous-Talk

of Alabama.

ingly today to a Star reporter.

"I think our state will send a Bryan delegation to the next democratic national convention," said Gov. Oates in response to a question. "I am sure the state would go for Bryan now, if the question should be put. I see no diminution, up to this time, of free silver sentiment in Alabama."

"Isn't the state prosperous now?" he was asked. "Well, in the mineral section they are getting good prices for coal and iron, and

the people there are doing well. But the agricultural portions of the state cannot be said to be prosperous while 4-cent cotton is the word." Gen. Wheeler's Seat. Gov. Oates said he did not know whether the governor of the state would declare Gen. Wheeler's seat in Congress vacant or not. There was some talk of it, but he

thought no decision had been reached. Gen. Wheeler's friends, he said, regretted exceedingly his going to the Philippines. They felt the general had earned enough military glory and could not add to his fame. Beyond that, however, they thought Gen. Wheeler should have stayed at home and made the race for the governorship His friends believed he could have unite warring factions among the

and rendered valuable service to his party FOREIGN INFLUENCES HOSTILE.

French and Belgian Trying to Drive Americans From Southern China. Secretary Hay received a call this morning from W. Barclay Parsons, the engineer representing the American railway concessionaires controlling the projected railroad from Canton to Hankow, China, Mr. Parsons explained at some length to the Secretary the obstacles that have been encountered by his company in carrying out its concession. The Chinese govern ment is ostensibly held to be obstructing the concessionaires, but behind the government and urging it unwillingly on its course are foreign influences, according to Mr. Parsons-French and Belgian-which are determinedly striving to drive out the Americans and secure for themselves this

Mr. Parsons made it clear that an En-

glish company holding the concession for a line from Canton to Kowloon was prepared

to unite interests with the American corpo

concession.

ment.

ration and effect a combination to main tain themselves against these foreign in The British government would naturally look after interests of its sub-jects, and the American corporation asks Secretary Hay to take similar action to re quire the Chinese government to permi of the execution of the concession. Secretary Hay listened with interest to the representations made and promised lay the matter before the President. T first step to be taken is to obtain from United States Minister Conger, at Pekin an exact statement of the facts upon which to proceed. Then, according to the estab-lished practice of the State Department, assuming that the concession is valid at all points, the American minister will be instructed to do all that is necessary to se cure the protection of American interests. The department has always been careful not to interfere between concessions un warrantably; but at the same time it has lost no opportunity to forward legitimate American enterprises in all parts of the world and give them protection and that rule will govern in the present case. Chinese government has already been dis tracted by the rival claims of England and Russia to railroad concessions in northern China, and the present conflict in the south

THE FLOODED REGIONS.

promises to be quite as difficult of adjust

Mr. Holmes to Go to Texas to Invesgate It.

of the Department of Agriculture, will leave Washington this week for Texas to investigate for the department the inundated region of the state. He will study the damage wrought to crops and soils and make an elaborate report upon the condition of the

BACK FROM APIA GONE WITH \$110,000

Ex-Consul General Rose Presented Cashier of a Perth Amboy, N. J., to the President.

SIGNS OF TROUBLE HAVE DISAPPEARED

Beneficial Results of the New Defaulter Was Considered as Man Agreement.

Herr Rose, the German ex-consul genera! to Samoa, who is passing through the city on his way to Germany, was presented to the President today by Secretary Hay. Herr Rose has just returned from Samoa. It was his action in supporting Mataafa for king, it will be remembered, which brought which several British and American sail-

ors lost their lives. Herr Rose says that the friction alleged to have existed in Samoa between the Germans on one hand and the Americans and English on the other was much exaggerated. Every vestige of unpleasantness disappeared, he says, with the appearance of the commissioners representing the counties to the tripartite agreement. The arrangement which they made, he declares, promises to be perfectly satisfactory. The His family consists of his wife and two or partisans of both Malietoa and Mataafa have acquiesced in the abolition of the kingship, and the German, English and American consuls will conduct the provis-icnal government until the three countries ratify whatever modifications of the Berlin treaty are agreed to by the commissioners. The best guarantee of future peace is the The best guarantee of future peace in the islands lies in the surrender of the arms of the natives to the commission. These arms have been stored aboard the American ship Badger. About 3,000 weapons in all were deposited with the commission.

At the State Department. Herr Rose arrived yesterday and reported to the German embassy. Ambassador Holleben was about to start for New York to meet Mr. Mumm, the official who has come on from Berlin to act as charge d'affaires this summer, but before his departure he this summer, but before his departure he accompanied Herr Rose to the State Department and presented him to Secretary Hay and Assistant Secretary Hill. This gave an opportunity for a rather extended conference on Samoan affairs, in the course of which Herr Rose defended his course during the troublous days of last spring, and explained his view of many of the incidents in which he and Admiral Kautz and the various other officials at Samoa were concerned. The period of Herr Rose's service covered also the contention over Chief Justice Chambers' decision as to the right Justice Chambers' decision as to the right of Malletoa to occupy the throne of Samoa and the clash with the natives following the

MORE VOLUNTEER OFFICERS.

Additional Appointments by the President Announced. The President made the following addi-

tional appointments in the volunteer army today: To be captains-Amos W. Brandt, former ly captain, 7th U. S. V. I.; Frank W. Eckers, formerly captain, 50th Iowa Volunteers; William H. Gillenwaters, formerly

captain, 6th U. S. V. I.; Frank M. Hime, formerly captain, B, 1st Maine Artillery William M. Scofield, formerly captain, 1st Ohio Cavalry; Charles D. Roberts, formerly first lieutenant, 17th United States Infantry; George T. Summerlin, formerly second lieu-George T. Sun mercin, the Cavalry tenant, 8th United States Cavalry. To be first lieuterants—George I. Becker, formerly first lieutenant, E, 15th Minnesota; Solomon L. Jeffers, formerly captain, I, 1st Arkansas; John H. Lewis, formerly captain C, 7th U. S. V. I.; Henry Stroup, formerly captain, K. 1st Arkansas; Theodore Schultz captain, K. Ist Arkansas; Theodore Schultz, formerly captain, 6th Missouri Volunteers; Wilson B. Strong, formerly in volunteer service; Allen T. Balentine, formerly of 3d United States Volunteer Engineers; Edgar N. Coffey, formerly captain, B, 1st Mississippi; Henry M. Fales, formerly captain, 2d New York Volunteers, Indian R. 3d New York Volunteers; Julien E. Gaujot formerly captain, 2d West Virginia; Joseph W. Porterfield, formerly captain, 9th Illi-

nois; William Sullivan, formerly captain, B, 1st New Hampshire Volunteers. To be second lieutenants-Holmes Conrad jr., formerly second lieutenant, 2d North Carolina; Albert J. Dillon, formerly lieu-tenant, United States Volunteer Signal Corps; Vincent M. Elmore, jr., for first lieutenant, 2d Alabama; Henry oins, formerly first lieutenant, C, 3d Tennessee Volunteers: John P. Spurr, formerly first sergeant, F, 4th Tennessee Volunteers; Charles P. Hirst, formerly sergeant, G, 1st California: John W. Healey, formerly ser-geant major, 20th United States Infantry; Archie Miller, formerly first lieutenant, 6th

Missouri. Webb Hayes Made Lieutenant Colonel Lieut, Col. Webb C. Hayes, son of ex-President Hayes, was today appointed by the President lieutenant colonel of the 31st Volunteer Infantry, commanded by Col. James E. Pettitt, and organizing in the states of Ohio, Indiana, Kentucky and Ten nessee. Lieut. Col. Hayes, who is now in Cincinnati, has been ordered to report at once to Col. Pettitt, at Fort Thomas, Ky., the headquarters of the regiment, to assist in the organization of his regiment. This appointment is based entirely on merit, and its justice will be recognized by all persons familiar with the officer's military record. He was mustered in as major the 1st Ohio Volunteers at the outbreak of the war with Spain, and was ordered to Tampa to report to Gen. Shafter for duty with the expedition about to leave for Cuba He accompanied Gen. Young's cavalry brigade, and was present at the battle of Las luasimas and the battle of Santiago, 1, 1898, where he was wounded and his horse killed. He continued on duty, how-He was relieved from duty on Shafter's command, and accompanied Gen. Miles' expedition, leaving Guantanamo July 23 for Porto Rico. He was present at the Shafter's command, and acc landing at Guanica, and accompanied Gen. Garretson's brigade in the action on the

country. He rejoined his regiment at Huntsville, Ala., and conducted a to Columbus, Ohio, for muster-out in Sep-He was recommended for a brevet as lieu

Upon the suspension of hostilities he left

Porto Rico and rejoined his volunteer regi-ment, the 1st Ohio, which had remained in

Naval Orders. Lieut, C. S. Stansworth has been detached

from the bureau of ordnance and ordered to Mr. E. D. Holmes, assistant statistician Newport News to inspect ordnance designed for the new battle ships,

Lieut. W. W. Gilmer has been detached from the Franklin and ordered to command the Potomac.

Surgeon J. M. Steele has been detached from the recruiting rendezvous at Baltimore and placed on waiting orders.

prising fakir soid a number of delegates begus railroad tickets, which were promptly turned down by conductors and farse collected.

John H. Chapman of Chicago was today re-elected president of the Baptist Young People's Union of America.

THE STAR BY MAIL.

Persons leaving the city for any

period can have The Star mailed to them to any address in the United

States or Canada, by ordering it at

this office, in person or by letter.

Terms: 13 cents per week; 25 cents for two weeks, or 50 cents per month. Invariably in advance. Subscribers changing their address from

one Post-office to another should give the last address as well as the

INSTITUTION CLOSES ITS DOORS

Bank Missing.

of Exemplary Habits.

AT THE STATE DEPARTMENT CROWDS CLAMOR FOR MONEY

NEW YORK, July 14.-The Middlesex County Bank of Perth Amboy, N. J., has closed its doors. Cashier George M. Valentine is reported to be missing, with \$110,-

000 of the bank's money. The president of the bank, N. B. Watson, informed the police of Perth Amboy last about the fighting with the natives in night of the condition of affairs and reported that Valentine had not been seen since Monday last. The details of how the money was converted or misappropriated are not known. Expert accountants are at work on Cashier Valentine's books, and until they finish their work the amount of the

shortage cannot be accurately stated. Cashier Valentine has been in the employ of the Perth Amboy bank for several years. He was considered a man of steady habits and lived with his family in Perth Amboy. three children. He is under forty years of

derstood to be at Ocean Grove.

The Perth Amboy bank was established about twenty-five years ago, and was considered one of the oldest and solidest banking institutions in New Jersey.

The failure of the bank to open its doors for business today drew a large crowd to the vicinity, and the police were employed

Mrs. Valentine and the children are un-

the vicinity, and the police were employed to preserve order.

The chief of police of Perth Amboy Is authority for the statement that Cashier Valentine's defalcation amounts to \$110,000. Some weeks ago Cashier Valentine took his family to Ocean Grove. He spent Sunday there with his family, and when last heard of on Monday morning left Ocean Grove, as supposed, to go to the Perth Amboy bank. He did not get off the train at Perth Amboy, but continued on to New boy bank. He did not get off the train at Perth Amboy, but continued on to New York. In this city he cashed checks amounting to between \$3,000 and \$5,000 at the Park National Bank, with which the Perth Amboy bank transacted business. Cashier Valentine was very well known at the Park National Bank. The police say that Valentine's peculations had extended over a period of several months, and that he managed to cover up the shortage by false entries in his books.

W. C. WHITNEY'S BARN BURNS.

Twenty of His Fine Horses Perish in the Fire. NEW YORK, July 14.-The fire on the William C. Whitney estate at Westbury, L. I., last night did not destroy the country house, as was at first reported, but

burned one of the largest barns, Plucky work by the volunteer firemer the commission might be prolonged beyond the time when they had hoped to sail on the Badger.

the Badger.

the damage to the structure was comparatively small. The total loss from the fire is estimated at \$00,000 to \$70,000, much of the flames back from the this sum being represented by some twenty fine horses, including several of Mr. Whit-

ney's racers, which were burned.

GOLD FROM THE KLONDIKE. Returning Prospectors Bring Rock

Considerable Vellow Metal. PORT TOWNSEND, Wash., July 14 .-The steamer Orizaba arrived from the north this morning, bringing tifty return ing Klendikers, most of whom have gold dust ranging from \$1,500 up to several thousand. The ship's strong box contains 100 pounds of the yellow metal from the interior. This party arrived up river from

Dawson on the steamer Terrell. Some passengers direct from Atlin report that claims in that district are being worked. They say that Judge Irving, who was ent to Atlin to straighten out mining proprties, is giving great satisfaction, and in awarding all claims to original locaters they are permitted to commence work. He makes no distinction between Americans and Canadians, and holds that Amer-leans who have taken out miners' licenses n accordance with the laws in British Columbia and prior to the passage of the alien exclusion law located claims, are en-

titled to the same privileges as Canadians GROWING TRADE WITH RUSSIA. Ship Loading at Philadelphia With

General Cargo for Odessa.

PHILADELPHIA, July 14.-Exports from this country to Russia, which began with heavy machinery, and have been followed by all sorts of tools and ware, promise to cut an important figure in the shipments from this port. Following close on the chartering of the British steamship Puritan, now loading here, for New Chang and Vladivostock, it is announced by W. F. Hagar & Co. that the British steamship Uplands will load locomotives and a gen-ral cargo at this port for Odessa and other Black sea ports. Beside locomotives, the Uplands will take out several thousand tons of general cargo, embracing many kinds of manufactured goods, principally machinery.

BURIED TREASURE FOUND. Hoard Which Caused the Murder of

Thomas Graves. RICHMOND, Va., July 14.-Neighbors digging in the ruins of the house of Thomas Graves near here yesterday dug up several jars of money, gold and sliver, amounting

to \$2,100. Graves and his aged sister, who lived with him, were murdered and the house burned to conceal the crime. The man was a reputed miser, and it is believed that the merderers hoped to secure his hoard. The neighbors are still digging near the house

DELEGATES DID NOT APPEAR. Richmond People Dissatisfied Over

Poor Attendance at B. Y. P. U.

in search of treasure.

Special Dispatch to The Evening Star, RICHMOND. Va., July 14.-The advers of the B. Y. P. U. here has occasioned more dissatisfaction than rejoicing. Richmond was selected two years ago, at the earnest solicitation of the Young Men's Business Association, It was expected that 12,000 would come, and a house-to-house canvass was made to secure homes for them. Private families went to great expense prepartenant colonel for his services in Santiago and brevet colonel for his services in Porto and there is much discontent among the hundreds who made preparations, but got no boarders.

> pearance, but the white pages declined to show them to their homes, and they expe-rienced considerable difficulty in finding shelter. To add to the trouble, some enterprising fakir sold a number of delegates bogus rallroad tickets, which were promptly

Fifteen negro delegates put in an ap